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treatment by transdermal delivery from the transdermal system of claim 1.

REMARKS

By the foregoing amendments, the specification has been revised to better conform with U.S. practice, as has claim 1. Translated claims 2-15, having been canceled in the preliminary amendment of November 29, 1999, have been substituted for by new claims 16-29 corresponding to original translated claims 2-15, respectively. Use claim 15 has been rewritten as a method claim, consistent with U.S. practice, and multiple dependencies have been omitted from the claims.

Entry and consideration of the foregoing amendments are solicited.

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